

Clyde Elementary School Newsletter

November 2014

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Clyde Elementary 4th Grade Presents Pirates! The Musical

Thursday, November 6th 6:00 pm Clyde Elementary Gymatorium

If your child has a speaking part, they will need to stay after school until performance time. If your child DOES NOT have a speaking part, they will need to report to the cafeteria no later than 5:30. Following the performance, you will pick your child up in the cafeteria from their teacher.

Thursday, November 6th will also be "Pirate Day"! All 4th grade students will be asked to come to school wearing their version of a pirate costume! Weapons (Real or Fake) are not allowed!

News From our Literacy Specialists

We enjoyed having our Awesome parents & students come to the Math Curriculum Night held on October 23rd. Thank you for all of your enthusiasm and dedication to your child's academic success! We hope that the parent guides and games were helpful and will be used often to strengthen your child's

Math Skills and confidence!

Our next activity will be in March. We will have a Published Author- Anna Browning visiting Clyde Elementary to encourage students in their writing. We will also get to enjoy her book Tanner Turbeyfill and the Moon Rocks. We are Thankful for our Clyde Parents! Hope this month is full of great things for you and your family!

MARK YDUR CALENDARS

- <u>Thursday, November 6th</u>—4th grade Pirate Musical Program
- <u>Thursday, November 6th</u>—Safety Patrol Training at 2:00 P.M.
- <u>Thursday, November 6th</u>—Holiday Assistance Sign up at the Education Center in Clyde from 12 noon to 7:00 P.M. (This is for people that have not signed up for assistance yet.)
- <u>Tuesday, November 11th</u>—Veteran's Day Holiday, No School
- <u>Friday, November 14th</u>—Holiday Assistance Sign up at the Education Center in Clyde from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. (This is for people that have not signed up for assistance yet.) **FINAL OPPORTUNITY**
- Friday, November 14th—Girls Empowerment Night from 3rd-5th grade girls
- <u>Thursday, November 18th</u>—3rd Grade RTA Parent Night
- <u>Thursday, November 20th</u>—Thanksgiving Feast for 3rd-5th grade parents (Teachers will be sending home more information about this.)
- November 26th to November 28th—Thanksgiving Holidays, no school

Notes from Coach Sharpe

- Don't forget to wear tennis shoes on days that you have PE.
- Continue to stay active, even when the weather turns cold.
- Eat healthy.
- There will be a Dollywood trip in the Spring for Elite athletes.



School Performance News-

100% of Clyde's Teachers are certified. Way to go!

Safety Patrol 2014-2015

Sarah Arrowood Ian Barker Cathryn Belham Jacklyn Clark Emily Cohee Taylor Cook Veronica Escamilla Lara Haas Natalie Hensley Jackson Higgins Noah Lance Scott Lunsford Melisa Mendoza Sara Rathbone Leslie Smith John Swain Josi Thomas Aleck Tiller

Tucker Valliere

Hannah Wells





Please join us on **Tuesday, November 18th at 5:30 pm for a 3**rd **Grade Literacy Night** in the Media Center! Come hear about how you can help your child ensure that they are successful towards the North Carolina Read to Achieve Law and receive resources that will focus their learning at home and at school.

Goal: The Read to Achieve Law is to ensure that every student read at or above grade level by the end of 3rd grade and continue to progress in reading proficiency so that he or she can read, comprehend, integrate and apply complex texts needs for secondary education and career success.

We can only reach that goal by working together as a parent-teacher-student team at home and at school.

Parents and students will receive:

Question stems that are consistent with the questions they will be asked on the standardized tests and reading level assessments.

How to find a Just-Right book outside of the classroom Writing resources to ensure they are writing reading responses up to grade level expectations



HAS YOUR PHONE NUMBER OR ADDRESS CHANGED? PLEASE SEND A NOTE TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER IF YOUR ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER HAVE CHANGED.

White Christmas Canned Food Drive

It is that time again to start the White Christmas Canned Food Drive. The cans that are collected will go to help local families in need. There will be a reward given to the Kindergarten through 2nd grade class and the 3rd through 5th grade class that collects the most cans. The White Christmas Canned Food drive will start in December. Start collecting those cans! Student Council will be getting more information out soon!

CLYDE ELEMENTARY BURGER KING NIGHT

Please go to Burger King (at the Old Walmart) on <u>Monday</u>, <u>November 17th</u> from 4:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Clyde Elementary School will get 20% of the sales during that time

Come join Clyde Elementary Staff for dinner and help raise money for Clyde Elementary School

You might even see some of your teachers behind the counter taking your order!



PTO NEWS

Doughnuts will be on sale on Friday, November 7th. They will cost \$5 a dozen. Forms were sent home for preorders, but you will also be able to buy them on Friday. PTO will be selling doughnuts from 7:30 A·M· to 8:00 A·M· and from 2:15 P·M· to 2:45 P·M·